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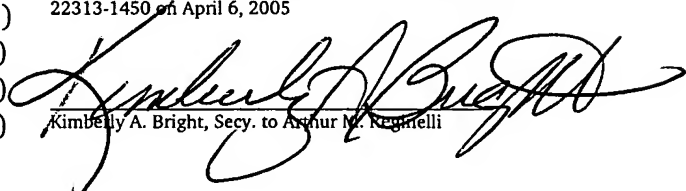
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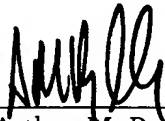
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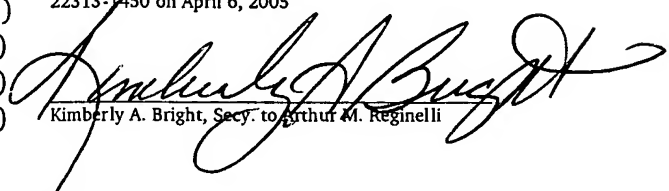
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 6, 2005, the Applicants,
through their attorney, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.